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GRIZZLY NETTERS ON ROAD;
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University of Montana tennis players, whoever they may be, will be on the road for five matches in four days beginning Wednesday with two in Spokane, Wash.

Five of the six members of the travelling squad actually were known at this writing, but lousy weather has made it impossible for Dr. Brian Sharkey and Dr. Jules Karlin, tennis team advisers, to see players in action and determine the sixth man.

Montana's top five players, although not necessarily in this order, will be Rick Ferrell, Spokane sophomore; Steve Meloy, Helena senior; Brian Kekich, Missoula junior; Gary Israel, New York City freshman, and Fred King, Rochester, Minn. junior.

The Grizzlies will open Wednesday against Whitworth College and Gonzaga University. Eastern Washington State College will provide the opposition Thursday in Cheney, and Friday, Montana moves to Pullman for a match against Washington State University.

The long trip will be completed Saturday with a match against defending Big Sky Conference champion University of Idaho in Moscow.

Following this trip, Montana will be idle until April 12 when it meets a team comprised of outstanding players in the Missoula area at the UM tennis courts.